

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q54509

Hidenori YAMANAKA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/317,986

Group Art Unit: 1771

Confirmation No.: 9754

Examiner: C. Pratt

Filed: May 25, 1999

For: MELT-BLOWN, NON-WOVEN FABRIC OF POLYARYLENE SULFIDE AND
METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAME

REQUEST FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)

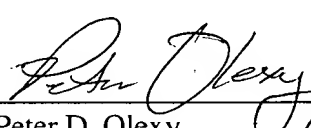
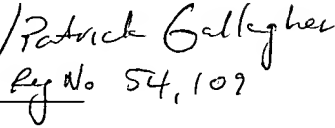
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Sir:

Concurrent with the filing of a RCE, Applicants respectfully request a Suspension of
Action for a period of three (3) months.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the Petition fee (Suspension of Action)
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